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New U.S. Patent Application based on U.S.S.N. 60/454,336  
Title: ANTIBODIES AGAINST HUMAN IL-21 RECEPTOR AND USES  
THEREFOR  
Inventors: Deborah A. Young et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application: Specification - Seventy-eight (78) pages; Claims - Six (6) pages, including Ten (10) independent claims and Thirty Eight (38) claims total; Abstract - One (1) page; Eighty-five (85) pages total.
2. Drawings - 12 sheets of Formal Drawings (Figures 1-6).
3. Sequence Listing - Forty-Eight (48) pages; Statement for Submission of Sequence Listing - One (1) page and One (1) diskette containing the electronic form of the Sequence Listing.
4. Application Data Sheet - Four (4) pages

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5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$770	\$ 770.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	38	-	20	0	x \$18	324.0
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Applicant claims the right to priority based on Provisional Patent Application No. 60/454,336 filed March 14, 2003.

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This application will be completed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) upon receiving a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due and any other fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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